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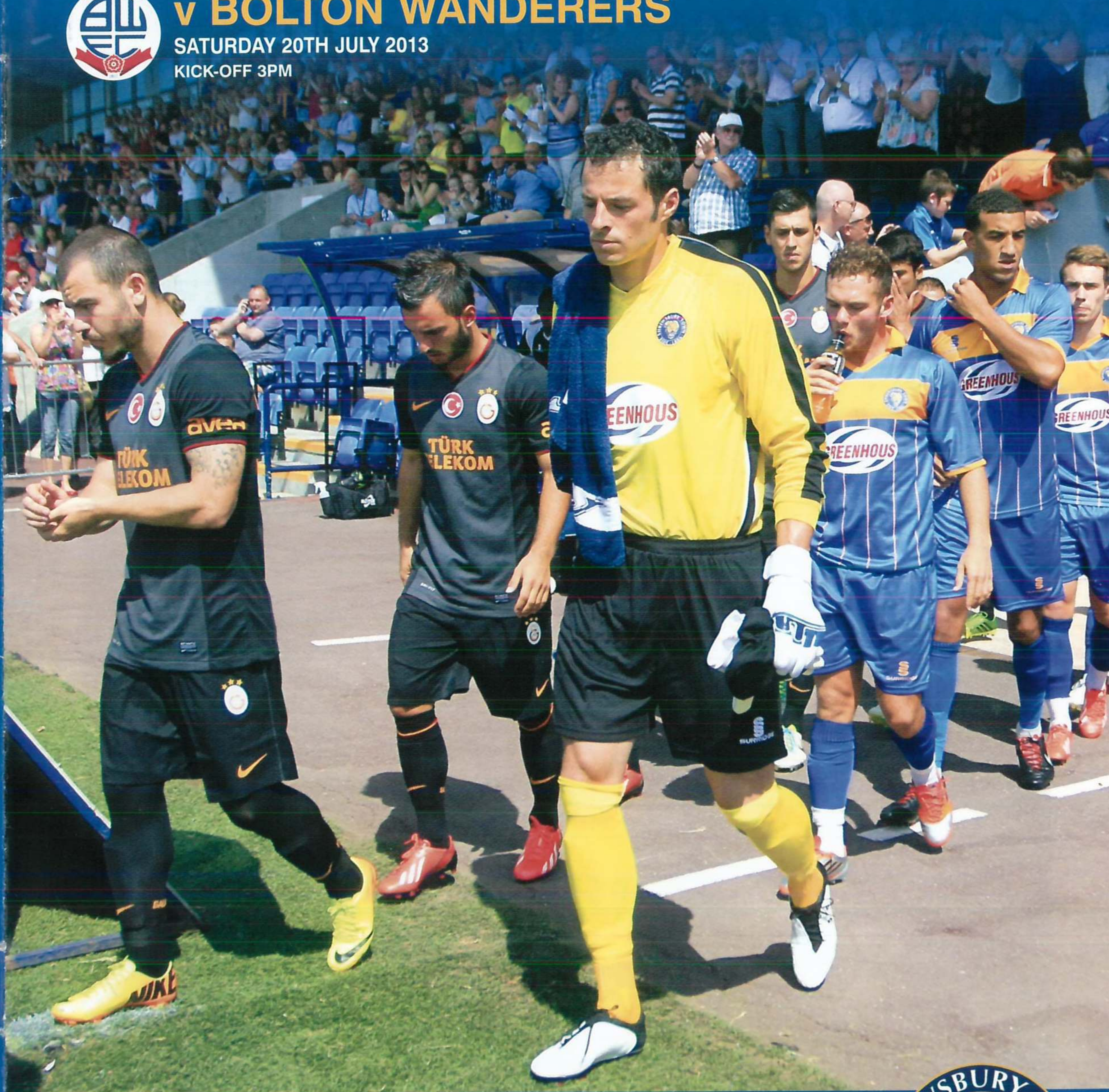
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# GRAHAM TURNER

THE MANAGER'S PRE-MATCH THOUGHTS



Welcome to today's pre-season match against Championship club Bolton Wanderers.

They looked as though they would make the play-offs last season however just fell short in a very tough league. There will be plenty of people fancying them to succeed this season.

Last Saturday's match against Galatasaray was considered a success, although the 3-0 defeat suggests otherwise. The experience of playing against top players and the level of fitness work from the game were two significant points. It was also an opportunity for supporters to see a top class team with some excellent individual players at close quarters. Well done to club secretary Jayne Bebb for getting everything organised prior to the match and ensuring that the visitors were well treated. With the prospect of plenty of top European clubs staying at St

George's Park, Burton there is always the opportunity for some of them finding their way to the Greenhouse Meadow particularly for pre-season games.

We followed up that game with a visit to Liverpool Academy where we played their development squad. Again another excellent work out resulting in a 2-0 victory with goals from Akwasi Asante and Connor Goldson.

I'm constantly reminded how small our squad is, almost as if we are unaware of that fact. We are in need of several new signings however there are times when patience is required. There are a great many players still looking for clubs, I could have easily brought the squad up to strength in terms of numbers but perhaps not the quality needed. As well as ability the most important attribute is character, so far we have assembled a group of players who have displayed a terrific attitude to hard work. Anyone coming in must have the ability to work hard and attitude to want to do so. We will be ready for the big kick-off on Saturday August 3rd.





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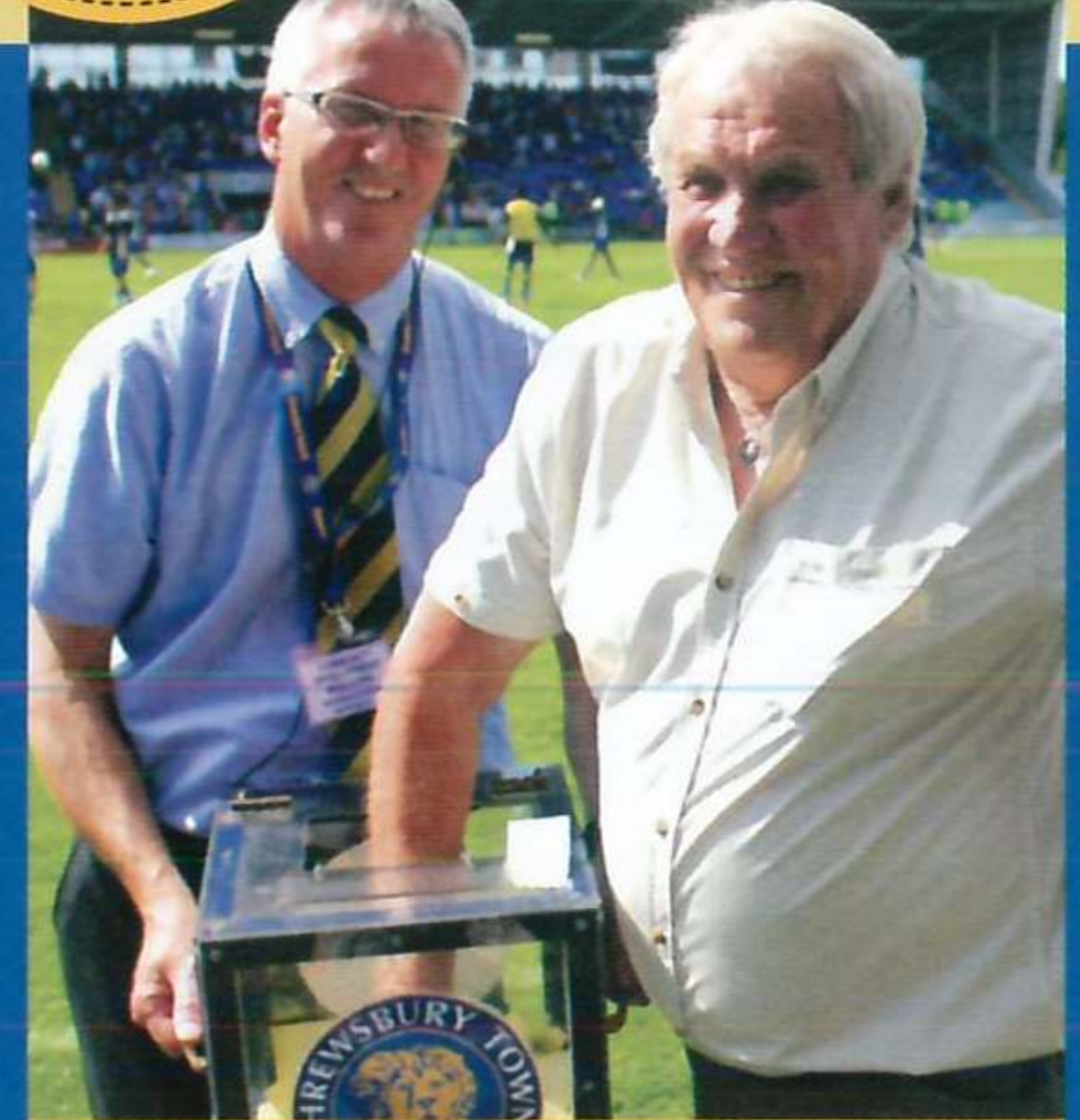
Joe Jacobson was named the Sovereign Club Man of the Match for the game against Galatasaray. Joe is pictured receiving his Tanners Champagne from Ellie Jenkins.



ARTHUR ROWLEY LOUNGE

## LUKE SUMMERFIELD

Luke Summerfield was named the Sponsors Man of the Match for the game against Galatasaray. Luke is pictured receiving his Tanners Champagne with Match sponsors Vince Burmingham and John Richard of Henrda House Residential Home.



*John Draycott was on hand to draw the Golden Gamble ticket at the Galatasaray game. The winning ticket, 675, which netted a cheque for £300. Don't forget to pick up your ticket from the sellers around the ground for just £1!*

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5th PRIZE £50 Simon Beale (268)

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## GOLF DAY

We had a fantastic day out at Hawkstone Park, many thanks to Dave Gilmour for organising the event. We are also very grateful to Graham Turner who presented the prizes. Pictured are the winning teams with Graham.



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# JOE

TALKS TO STUART DUNN

# JACOBSON

GIVEN THE OFTEN NOMADIC LIVES MANY LOWER LEAGUE FOOTBALLERS LIVE THESE DAYS, IT'S LITTLE WONDER THAT JOE JACOBSON IS SO HAPPY TO BE SETTLED AT SHREWSBURY.

As he prepares for his third season at the Greenhous Meadow, the consistent left back is optimistic Town can realistically look forward to an improved campaign.

And, given his obvious affection for the club, that would delight the 26-year-old Welshman who ended last season wearing the captain's armband as he scored from free kicks in the final two fixtures against Oldham and Portsmouth. "There's none of the boys who really played a lot in my first season still here," said Jacobson. "But it's nice to be here and nice to be settled in an area. I just want to kick on again this season, have another good season, and hopefully push up the league with Shrewsbury."

Jacobson enjoyed returning to Cardiff, his home city, during the close season, but insists he was pleased when the time came to head back to Shrewsbury to begin pre-season training. "It's nice to have a bit of time off as it's the only time you get to go home and see your family and friends," he said. "It was straight back into the swing of things when we came back for pre-season and it felt like you had never really been away. It was nice to be back, to see the lads, see the new boys, and enjoy training again."

"You get a bit bored when you're off and you just want to get back to playing football, having that banter and enjoying the camaraderie with everyone."

Jacobson has been impressed with the quality of the new signings drafted in by Graham Turner over the summer. And he knows one of the newcomers, Alex McQuade, signed from today's visitors Bolton Wanderers, will provide him with strong competition for the left back role.

"We knew Alex from last season as he came and trained with us," he said. "He showed that he's a good player otherwise the club wouldn't have signed him. It's competition for me and I had that last season as well with a couple of players. It just makes you train that little bit harder and focus a little bit more. You can't have a bad game or training session otherwise you'll be out of the team."

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"It's good for me personally, Alex as well. He's a good player and we'll have a good battle this season."

Jacobson also has plenty of positive things to say about the two other additions to the club's defensive ranks having welcomed the arrival of both Tamika Mkandawire and Dave Winfield.

"They had good seasons last year," he reflected. "Tam's got a lot of experience from being around this league so he knows what it takes to do well."

"Dave is a big lad and he should be intimidating for other people. He's still quite young at 25 - I'm not sure how given the way he looks! - but he seems to be a very good player."

Jacobson feels League One will be a stronger division this season for the inclusion of neighbours Wolves alongside fellow relegated clubs Bristol City and Peterborough United. And he also reckons the teams which have come up - Gillingham, Port Vale, Rotherham and Bradford - are also capable of holding their own.

"I think the clubs coming up are probably bigger than some of the ones that went down," he said. "Then you've got Wolves which is obviously a massive one for everyone at this club, the gaffer especially. These are the games you look forward to."

"Even Bradford coming up, you like going to the big stadiums and it's always been a tough place to go for me personally. It's going to be a tough season and we've got to prepare for that, but the gaffer's brought in players that are capable of playing in this league, hopefully a few more will come, and we can have a good go."





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# STUART DUNN

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**SO A WEEK on from hosting Galatasaray's all star cast, it's Bolton Wanderers who provide the opposition at the Meadow today, the first of two matches against the men from the Reebok Stadium in a little over three weeks.**

There is, of course, one notable link between Bolton and last weekend's high profile visitors given Swedish international Johan Elmander, who has represented both clubs, played the first half for Galatasaray. He was just one of a host of star names to grace the Meadow as the most expensively assembled squad to ever head to Oteley Road, Town's home since 2007, paid a welcome visit.

Manchester City did come here as part of the Joe Hart deal a couple of weeks after the new stadium had opened when Sven Goran Eriksson was at the helm. But that was just before City's spending really went into overdrive.

Graham Turner and his coaching staff worked out the Galatasaray squad here a week ago was recruited for somewhere in the region of £130 million - that's serious money!

I was outside the players' entrance when the Galatasaray team bus arrived to a rapturous reception from the Turkish club's supporters. It was interesting to spot the well known names getting off the bus, among them, almost unnoticed, Galatasaray's goalkeeping coach Claudio Taffarel, a man capped 101 times for Brazil between 1988 and 1998, and the former No 1 for, among others, Italian club Parma.

Most eyes, of course, were focused on Didier Drogba and classy Dutch international Wesley Sneijder. It was a real treat for locals to see Galatasaray's two genuine world renowned stars come off the bench midway through the second half to a warm welcome from Town fans.

The Shrewsbury players also clearly relished the opportunity to be on the same pitch as such high profile players and the final scoreline, topped off by a late Sneijder goal, was respectable considering Galatasaray reached the last eight of the Champions League last season. The Town squad got their hands on Galatasaray

shirts afterwards, nice souvenirs, and so did club secretary Jayne Bebb, handed one of Drogba's shirts, just reward given the work she put in over several months to ensure what probably started off as a dream fixture became a reality.

**MOST EYES, OF COURSE, WERE FOCUSED ON DIDIER DROGBA AND CLASSY DUTCH INTERNATIONAL WESLEY SNEIJDER...**

It's now on to Bolton today, though, who have not visited Shrewsbury since the clubs were in the old third division more than 20 years ago. Hopefully Marc Tierney and Tom Eaves, two men well known to Town supporters, will feature at some stage.

Tierney, I'm sure, will quickly become a firm favourite with the Bolton fans following his recent switch from Norwich. He proved himself to be an accomplished left back in his time with Shrewsbury, wearing blue and amber at a time when the club moved grounds. It was a shame to see him move on in the end to Colchester but he's flourished since then, going on to play in the Premier League. Now he will be keen to get back to that level with Bolton as soon as possible.

Eaves made more of a recent impact in a Town shirt, cracking in that brilliant hat-trick against Crawley here on Easter Monday and two fine strikes to set up a fine away win at MK Dons. He was just what Town needed at the time and played a key role in steering the club towards League One safety.



# MARCUS BRADDOCK

COME ON YOU BLUES!



Whenever I have to write a programme piece, I tend to have a look at the history of the club in question and see what strikes me about said club. The first thing to strike me about Bolton Wanderers is what a proud old club it is and what an illustrious history it's had; particularly in the first half of the Trotters existence.

Although they haven't won the title in the top division, they have come pretty close and have won the F.A. Cup four times and have been losing finalists on another three occasions.

It's Bolton's F.A. Cup history that I want to focus upon because they've been involved in some pretty significant F.A. Cup finals. Their first came in 1894 with the Trotters ending up the second placed team to Notts County in the only final ever to be played at Goodison Park. As you most likely know, Goodison is the home of Everton and was one of the most modern stadiums in the world at the time.

Bolton supporters had to wait another decade to see their team in the final again and this time it was played at Crystal Palace. Unfortunately for them, the Trotters were beaten again, this time by Manchester City who won by just a single goal in the first F.A. Cup final to be contested by two teams from Lancashire. 30,000 fans travelled to London for the match, with the majority unable to secure accommodation. Undeterred, fans from both sides slept the night at Euston and St Pancras station on the night

before the final! The game went to form, with First Division City beating a Bolton team that was playing in the second.

Bolton played their 3rd final in 1923, which was a significant final as it was the first to be held at what was called "The Empire Stadium" or Wembley as it is now known. It has gone down in history as the White Horse final because of the eye catching white horse that was used to control the crowd. There was a great deal of interest in the 1923 final, mainly because it was an early chance for many people to see the new stadium. The attendance at Wembley was around 125,000 at the time but an estimated 300,000 actually turned up, with hoards of ticketless fans climbing the fence. There were so many there that the inevitable over-spill filled the pitch, meaning that unless they were cleared, the supporters would have no game to see. A number of Police officers on horseback set about the task, all but one of the horses were dark in colour, meaning that the one white horse stood out on the pictures and film of the clearance. The job was done, but only just with the touchline's around the pitch were

crowded with supporters Bolton won the Cup for the first time that day, but it was Billy the white horse who is most remembered, with a road near to the stadium being named after him.

Three years later Bolton reached the final again and met Manchester City again, but this time the met as equals with both teams being first division sides. Bolton had had a tricky route to the final despite not having to play a top flight team until the final. Bolton were favourites this time and got their revenge on City for beating them over two decades earlier by winning 1-0, exactly the same score as City had won by in 1904. Bolton won the cup for a third time in 1929 against Portsmouth and although it was significant to Bolton supporters, my research has not unearthed anything that marks it out as any different to any other cup final.

The Trotters next cup final was in 1953 and was dubbed "the Matthews final" because of the performance of Blackpool's Stanley Matthews and for the fact that it was his 3rd attempt to win the trophy in 6 seasons. It was also the only Wembley cup final to have a hat-trick in it, scored by Blackpool's Stan Mortensen. It was a heart breaker of a final for Bolton's players and supporters who watched their team take a 3-1 lead. They were pegged back in the 68th minute but it was still a 3-2 lead which they held until the 89th minute when Mortensen pulled Blackpool level with a free kick from outside the box. With seconds remaining, Matthews again crossed from the right wing. His cross, which passed just behind Mortensen, was met by Bill Perry, whose shot made the score 4-3 and won the match. The Bolton team were said to be most gracious in such a difficult to take defeat with Trotters legend Nat Lofthouse applauding the victors.

Bolton's last appearance in an F.A. Cup final was in 1958, the year that Manchester United suffered the Munich Tragedy. After losing so many great players, nobody would have expected United to make their second consecutive final but they did and it was against Bolton. The Trotters won with two good goals from Bolton legend Nat Lofthouse.

So although they haven't been in a final for over 50 years, Bolton still have a famous history in the competition. They saw the only final at Goodison, the first to be contested by Lancashire teams, the first final at Wembley, the Matthews final, the only Wembley final to see a hat-trick and the first Manchester United final following the Munich disaster. COYB!!!





MATT JOHNSON INTRODUCES THE OPPOSITION...

# BOLTON WANDERERS FC

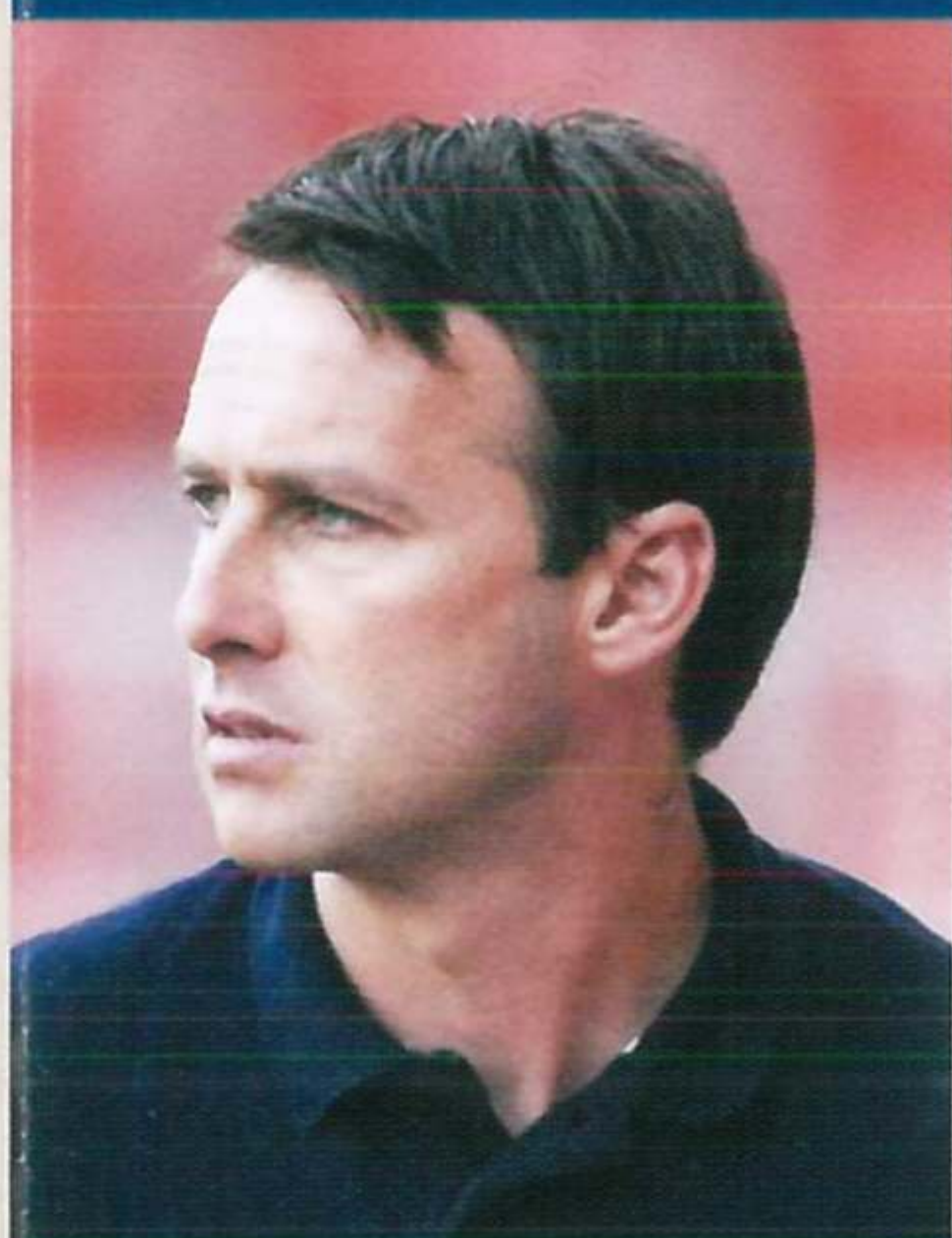
DOUGIE FREEDMAN'S SIDE VISIT THE MEADOW FOR THIS PRE-SEASON CLASH JUST TWO-AND-A-HALF WEEKS BEFORE THEY RETURN AGAIN FOR A LEAGUE CUP FIRST ROUND TIE, WITH BOTH SIDES HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO SIZE EACH OTHER UP.



## HOTSHOT: CHRIS EAGLES

DOB: 19.11.85 PLACE OF BIRTH: HEMEL HEMPSTEAD

Wide-man Eagles joined the Trotters from Burnley in July 2011 for £3million after the Clarets were relegated from the Premier League. He followed his former boss Owen Coyle from Turf Moor after Coyle was appointed manager at the Reebok and enjoyed success in his first season despite the Trotters suffering relegation. After Coyle was replaced by Freedman, Eagles continued to impress in the Championship and made a telling impact in the Club's late push for the play-offs. A Manchester United trainee, Eagles made a handful of appearances for the Red Devils amongst loan spells with Watford, Sheffield Wednesday and NEC Nijmegen before joining Burnley on a three-year-deal for an undisclosed fee in 2008. Eagles made an instant impact at the Clarets, helping them to gain promotion to the Premier League in 2008-09 as part of a career that saw him score 20 goals in 120 league appearance from out wide.



## MANAGER: DOUGIE FREEDMAN

Freedman took over at the Reebok in October 2012 after impressing in his first managerial role with Crystal Palace. He began his playing career with Barnet in 1994 before moving to Palace a year later, smashing 34 goals in 93 appearances over two seasons. He moved to the Midlands for a season with Wolves before joining Nottingham Forest in 1998. 23 goals and 70 games later, Freedman was on the move again, returning to Selhurst Park in 2000 for a £600,000 fee. After years on the move, it seemed he'd finally found his home, staying at Palace for eight years and scoring 73 league goals in 237 appearances before being loaned out to Leeds in 2008. Following that loan spell, an ageing Freedman was released and he signed a two-year deal with Southend to see out his playing career. He was quickly snapped up into the Palace backroom scene in 2010 as assistant to Paul Hart and continued the role under George Burley. When Burley was sacked in 2011, Freedman was made caretaker boss before being penned as permanent manager shortly after.

### DID YOU KNOW?

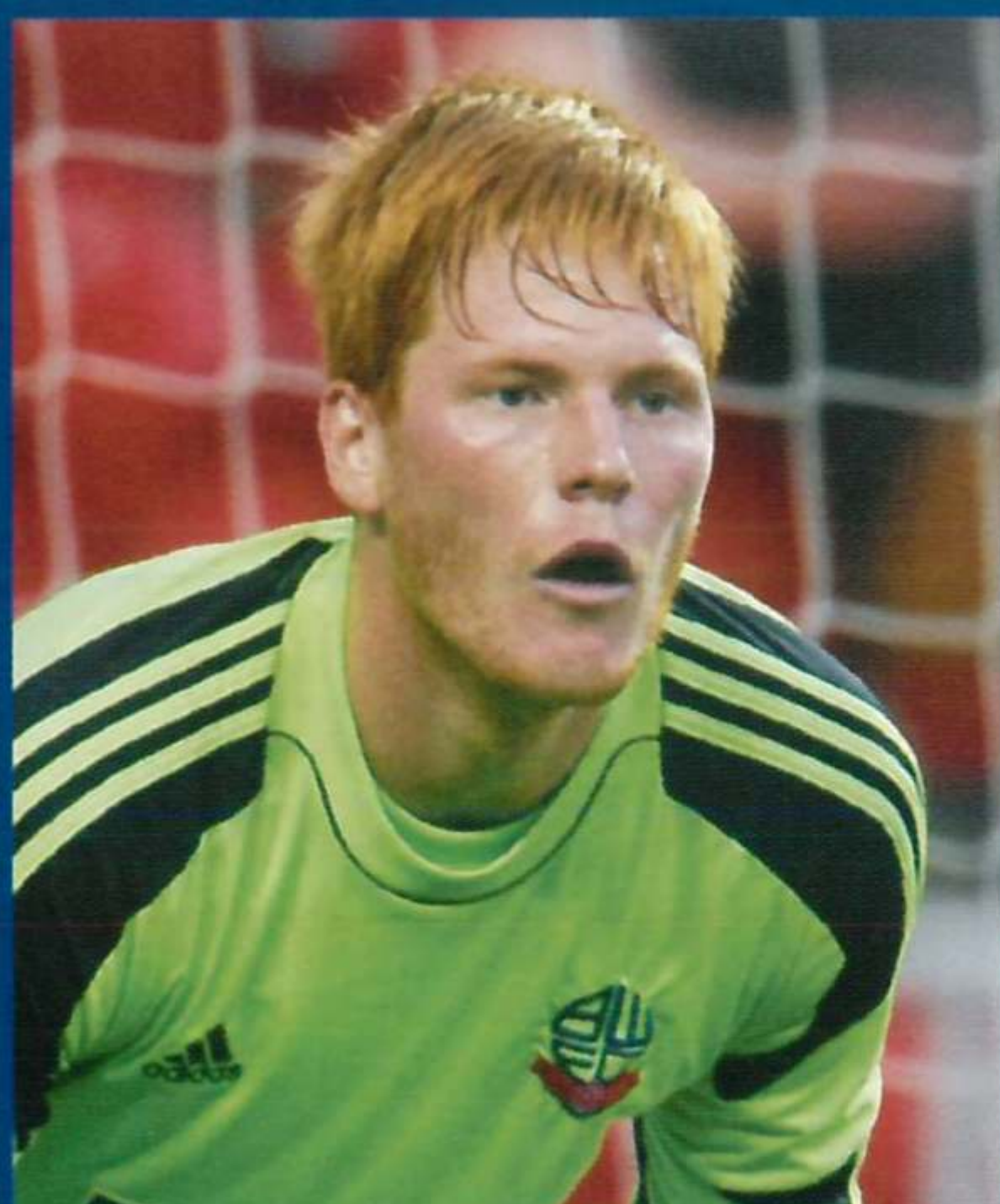
- Founders of the Football League, Wanderers were formed in 1874 as Christ Church Football Club before adopting its current name in 1877.
- Bolton have spent the highest number of seasons of any Club in the top-flight without ever winning the title. The 2011-12 season was the 73rd.
- The Club played its football at Burnden Park for 102 years from 1895 before switching to the newly built Reebok Stadium in 1997.

### IN THE FRAME

TYRONE MEARS, MATT MILLS, DAVID WHEATER, TIM REAM AND NEW SIGNING ALEX BAPTISTE COULD FEATURE AT THE BACK.

DARREN PRATLEY AND STUART HOLDEN COULD BE SET TO PLAY IN MIDFIELD, WHILST CRAIG DAVIES AND SHREWSBURY FAVOURITE TOM EAVES ARE THE ALTERNATIVES IN ATTACK.





## ADAM BOGDAN

DOB: 27.09.87  
PLACE OF BIRTH: HUNGARY

Wanderers acquired the services of 25-year-old Bogdan from Vasas Budapest on a two-year deal in 2007. Since then he has made a total of 65 league appearances for the Trotters and his fine form has seen him sign numerous contract extensions at the Reebok, with his latest deal running until summer 2015.



## ZAT KNIGHT

DOB: 02.05.80  
PLACE OF BIRTH: SOLIHULL

Towering centre-half Knight joined Bolton from Aston Villa in July 2009 for a fee believed to be in the region of £4million. The 33-year-old joined Fulham from Rushall Olympic in 1999 and went on to play over 150 games for the Cottagers in his eight year stay. He moved to Villa Park in 2007 for £3.5million before switching to the North West.



## KEITH ANDREWS

DOB: 13.09.80  
PLACE OF BIRTH: IRELAND

Midfield maestro Andrews signed for Wanderers prior to the start of the 2012-13 season after the expiration of his contract with West Brom. He started out at Wolves in 1999 before moving on to Hull, MK Dons and Blackburn before joining Albion in January 2012. In total Andrews has made over 350 career appearances and has scored over 45 goals.



## DAVID N'GOG

DOB: 01.04.89  
PLACE OF BIRTH: FRANCE

Frontman N'gog joined the Trotters for £4million from Liverpool in August 2011 after failing to earn a regular spot in the first XI at Anfield. He played for PSG in his native France between 2006 and 2008 before Rafa Benitez took him to Merseyside. He made 63 league appearances in three years with Liverpool, most of which came from the subs bench, and scored just nine goals.



## CHUNG-YONG LEE

DOB: 02.07.88  
PLACE OF BIRTH: SOUTH KOREA

Bolton agreed the £2.2million capture of South Korean international Lee in July 2009 from K-League Club FC Seoul. Learning his trade in the Korean capital from 2004-2009, he impressed the Wanderers scouts sufficiently to earn a move to England where he has played well over 100 games for Bolton since his arrival. He suffered a horrific broken leg injury in a pre-season game in July 2011 that ruled him out of action for over a year.



## MARVIN SORDELL

DOB: 17.02.91  
PLACE OF BIRTH: LONDON

Sordell joined Bolton on a three-and-a-half year contract in January 2012 from Watford, where he has been a key player since 2008. Graduating through the Hornets academy, he scored 27 league goals in 73 appearances, and had brief loan spells at Wealdstone and Tranmere before switching to the Reebok. But he has so far found goals hard to come by in the North West, netting only four league goals 25 games.



## NEXT UP

Our first away trip of the season sees us visit the capital when we play:

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## OFFICIAL SUPPORTERS CLUB

Good Afternoon everybody. Well I hope you all enjoyed the visit of Galatasary last Saturday, it was good to see Didier Drogba and Wesley Snijder, two players I personally have always wanted to see play football.

So now we can look forward to the coming season and Shrewsbury Town make their mark in League 1.

Our travel arrangements for away matches this season will be published on the Open Day which is Sunday 28th July, and also on the website

[www.shrewsburytownosc.com](http://www.shrewsburytownosc.com)

If you want to book on for Leyton Orient before the Open Day ring Ian Venables 07981 593437 or Bob Parry 07947 015045.

BRIAN JONES, OSC SECRETARY



## AWAY TRAVEL CLUB

Don't forget that we continue to run coaches to all home games from Wem, Telford and Oswestry areas. Times and pick up points are shown on the detailed travel plan. It costs only £2 per season to join the Away Travel Club, Super Blues are entitled to free membership.

Why not join us on one of our executive coaches which are fully air conditioned, with washroom facilities, 2 T.V. screens and on longer journeys hot and cold drinks are available.

Remember you do not have to be a member to travel with us. Memberships can be renewed at the clubs open day or on your first trip with us. New membership cards will be issued when you renew/join.

### LOOKING AHEAD

We look forward to an exciting new season with some mouth watering trips to local rivals, Wolves, yes a visit to Molineux - what a great prospect. We also have games at Walsall Port Vale and Crewe, not forgetting

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Coventry who look likely to be playing their home matches at Northampton!

### THANK YOU

Many thanks to everyone who travelled with us during the past season, especially our "regulars" who had to travel to a number of far flung places throughout the U.K. including Bournemouth and Brentford midweek!!!! Portsmouth Hartlepool Crawley and Yeovil also spring to mind.

Sincere thanks again to the members who steward our coaches, Steve Fletcher, Rosie Sabin and John Bailey who do a fantastic job. We look forward to receiving their invaluable help again this year. Steve's bus bingo and of course his legendary quiz's have proven very popular and certainly help to make the journeys more enjoyable, we know Steve has been busy through the summer preparing more tricky questions for us to ponder. CHRIS SMITH

## OPEN DAY CAN YOU HELP?

Shrewsbury Town will throw open the doors of the Greenhouse Meadow for the club's annual Open Day on Sunday, July 28 from 10am to 3pm.

Always a popular date in the calendar, this will be a chance for supporters to meet the players and manager who will be happy to sign autographs and pose for photographs.

"We are looking to make this more of a fun day / family day out this year," said Martin James, Shrewsbury Town's community development manager.

"We are looking for support from anyone who has access to fun activities or knows someone who has. We are going to use the Power League pitches for sports activities with the Community Trust and have the grass area next to it for a larger games areas."

Rounders and tug of war are both planned while the club are working on putting together a host of other attractions - and you can perhaps get involved.

"Any other activity we can source we will look to do," added Martin. "We're thinking along the lines of a climbing wall, wooden skittles, inflatables, small fairground rides.

"We will be seeking static displays which may include a fire engine and also stands from various supporter groups and charities as well as our commercial partners. We also have the option for acoustic music groups.

"We are not looking to pay for activities nor ask the public to pay as we want this to be a free event but the marketing possibilities are obvious. We expect between 2,000 to 3,000 people to come through the gates and parking will be free on site."

If anyone would like to be involved or can suggest someone or an attraction that might be popular, please contact Martin James on

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# TONY

## TALKS TO MARTIN WILD

# KELLY

Tony 'Zico' Kelly was a huge fans' favourite both at Shrewsbury at Bolton. A midfield maestro with a terrific passing range, Tony remains a real character and is these days employed by Bolton as one of their youth team coaches. A few years ago MARTIN WILD spoke to Tony for a look back at his Shrewsbury days.

With Wanderers in town today, we thought it an ideal time to revisit the piece in which the Liverpoolian's affection for Shrewsbury Town really shines through.

**MW: You joined Town from West Bromwich in January 1989. How did the move come about?** TK: I'd known Ian McNeill from his Wigan days. I'd fallen out of favour at West Brom and Ian came in for me. I'd been on loan at Colchester and we'd beaten Town 3-0 in the FA Cup, Ian asked me if I'd come and I didn't hesitate. I came on loan for a month initially and he signed me before the month was up.

**MW: But your move here nearly didn't happen because you had the chance to join AEK Athens didn't you?** TK: That's right. I was playing at Albion, we'd had a bit of trouble abroad which I took most of the blame for and that's why I was loaned to Colchester. I'd gone back to West Brom and AEK had come over to look at Carlton Palmer and Darren Bradley in midfield. Zico stole the show as we beat Blackburn 4-0, I think it was, so they asked about me instead. Ron Atkinson told them I was an England Under-21 international so they invited me out to Greece to talk to them. They offered me £200,000 pounds a year tax free on a four year deal. I came home and asked my wife what she wanted to do. We'd only been married a few weeks and I respected her because she was so close to her family but had left them behind to come to Birmingham with me, even though it didn't

work out for me at West Brom. There's a difference between being an hour's drive from home and a four hour flight so she didn't fancy it and that was fine. She deserved my respect so we turned it down and I ended up at Shrewsbury Town.

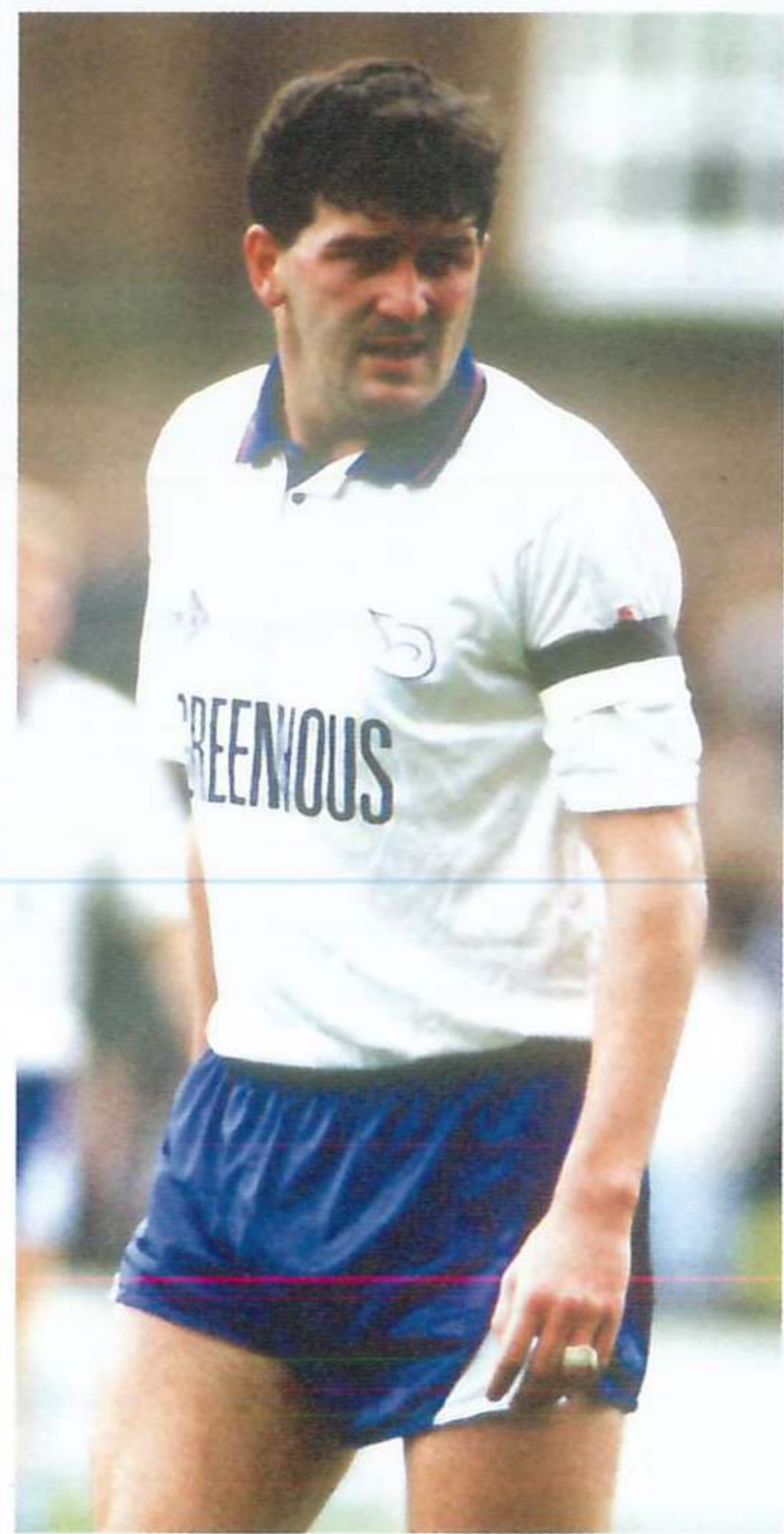
**MW: How do you remember your time in Shropshire?** TK: It was the happiest time of my life. Even though I left to join Bolton and enjoyed some success, my personal life just went downhill. Me and my wife Karen were very happy in Shrewsbury, it was a lovely town and we met some lovely people. Not only that but our beautiful daughter Rebecca was born in the Royal Hospital and is a proud Salopian.

**MW: You scored 15 league goals in your time at GM, are there any that stand out?** TK: Yeah, but how many did I make? There was one against Plymouth that I put right in the top corner from 35 yards but every goal is special to me. Whether you score goals or make them doesn't really matter as long as the team win.

**MW: Do you think the old ground handed Town a sizeable advantage over the opposition?** TK: Without a doubt. Teams used to come and look at it and didn't fancy it. It wasn't a capital ground but to us it was our home. For me, it was one of the best grounds in the country scenery wise. You could see the town and there was the Wakeman school plus it was on the banks of the River Severn so what more could you want?

**MW: Any stand out players you can recall?** TK: Every player that played for that football club during my time there never gave less than 110 per cent, apart from the odd one or two but no names. But Paul Evans who came through a few years after I'd left reminded me a lot of how I played. Unfortunately the kid got a few bad injuries and it held him back a bit.

**MW: What highs and lows did you experience during the two and a half years you spent at the club?** TK: Well, when I signed, the club were virtually relegated and eventually they did go down so that was an obvious low. The highs? Well the FA Cup run was special. I'll never forget the day we played Wimbledon who turned up as the Cup holders. They rolled up thinking they were big time Charlies playing a bunch of young farmers, but we rolled our sleeves up and turned them over.



The 1-0 scoreline didn't do us enough justice; we could have won by a much bigger margin.

**MW: Did you come up against Vinnie Jones that day?** TK: I can't remember but if I did he wouldn't have had a kick off me. I tore them to shreds. The reason for that was that I was fired up for the game anyway with them being Cup holders. But when I took the teamsheet in with John Bond an hour before the kick-off, their manager, a lovely man who's now dead God rest his soul, Ray Harford – and I know it was only gamesmanship - said to me: 'Where've you just come from? The Crown in Abbey Foregate?' I never said anything, I just let my football do the talking out on the pitch. The whole team was outstanding that day and at the press conference after the game, I shook Ray's hand and said to him: 'I'm just going to the Crown for a pint if you fancy it!'

**MW: Any other funnies you can recall?** TK: Yeah, a free-kick at Brentford springs to mind. David Moyes was captain at the time and we got a free-kick. I bent it straight into the top corner. The referee disallowed it because he hadn't got the wall back ten yards. I told him it didn't matter and he could put it back two yards if he wanted, I was still going



to score. So Moyesey has turned round and said put it in the other corner Kells. So I did!

**MW: Your transfer to Bolton was almost forced upon you I gather and you were sad to leave Shrewsbury weren't you?** TK: Yeah, I didn't want to leave and even now I get quite emotional just thinking about it. Just two weeks before the move I'd said I would have signed a ten year contract at Shrewsbury if they'd draw one up for me and I meant it. I went up to Bolton three times and tried to price myself out of the move but John Bond called me in to his office and said I'd have to go or they wouldn't take Mickey Brown otherwise, and he'd agreed terms and had already signed. His XR3i would have had to go back then if I didn't go! Seriously, the boss also said that the transfer money (£100,000) would save the club and keep them going for the next few years, and when he put it like that - and looking where they are now - it was probably the right decision for the club.

**MW: If it's not too rude a question, can you remember your biggest ever pay day in the game?** TK: You'd better ask Karen about that because she handled all that side of things. Money never really bothered me. I wasn't a greedy player. If I thought I was worth something then I'd ask for it. If there's one thing I can say about Shrewsbury Town, Ken Woodhouse, the club's chairman at the time, Malcolm Starkey the club secretary, Ian McNeill, John Bond, Asa Hartford, I never ever had a single grievance with that club about money. To go into work every day and have a cup of coffee with Brian Perry, who was groundsman, and then go out

and train with a special set of lads is something money can't buy. I don't really want to say the best pay day but it was five figures.

**MW: You're a staunch Evertonian Tony, so did you have mixed emotions when Salop knocked the Blues out of the FA Cup?**

TK: Yeah, I always have mixed emotions because Shrewsbury Town hold a special place in my heart and that will never go away. On that particular occasion, Town well deserved their win. But that would emphasise my earlier point about what a huge advantage Gay Meadow held for us. Teams rolled up looking at all the leaves on the pitch and they just didn't fancy it.

**MW: There was to be little more in the way of success with Kevin Ratcliffe taking us down to non-league after more than 50 years in the football league. How did that feel?** TK: I don't think I could put it into words to be honest how I felt. But when you looked around the town and you've got the likes of John Barrows who I got close to, and his wife Glenda, Keith and Bev Davies, Mike Jones, Brian Kitson, it really hits home when they phone you and their voices take on a different pitch because of the sadness they felt at their club being relegated. It was unimaginable but it happened and all credit to them for getting themselves straight back up. They've gone from strength to strength since.

**MW: You were part of the parade of legends that walked round the pitch at Gay Meadow's last ever game, that must have been a special occasion for you?** TK: Very special. Meeting all the players

from days gone by and seeing Bernard McNally again, Gary Stevens, Mickey Brown, Steve Ogrizivic. To walk round the pitch that day will stay in my memory forever. We had seats in the stand but me and Mickey Heathcote decided to go onto the Wakeman End to stand with the fans. I wanted to do that as my own tribute to the late Anti-tank, who was such a big Town fan. He was a character, a bit like myself. He liked a few more pints than me, mind. I think the fans were surprised to see us but that was the reason I was there and not in the stand. It was such an emotional day for the fans. They go there every week whereas most of the players moved onto different things. It was a great day.

**MW: Those that saw you play said you had a right foot like a wand and could put a pass on a sixpence. Is it a regret that you didn't play at a higher level and why do you think that was?** TK: I didn't play at a higher level because personally I didn't think I was good enough. I didn't get many breaks though and every kid needs them. I think if I was playing today I might be captain of England because there's dieticians, fitness coaches, scientists. I never had any of that. A lot of my success I owe to Karen. We were a team. As you know, I had a bit of a weight problem and so she used to prepare all my meals for me. Les Helm, the physio, was my guru when I arrived at the Meadow and he got me right. A lot of people don't know this, but every summer I'd spend time with Les and the likes of Asa Hartford running round Attingham Park and up the Longmynd. We reaped the rewards out on the pitch. You asked if it was a regret that I didn't play at the top level. Well, no, not really because every club I played for to me was a top club anyway. Millionaires can't buy what I've had.

**MW: Are there any players playing today that are similar in style to how you were for any younger readers that wouldn't remember you?** TK: I don't think so. I think then we were better technically. Today's player is more of an athlete as the game's gone techno now. I don't think they can pass as well as I used to. What you have to remember is some of the pitches we played on were awful. Now they are superb and they're all wearing these fancy blade boots. If Premier League players had to play on the pitches we used to they wouldn't know what to do. Maybe Steven Gerrard is similar in some ways, but no direct comparisons I can think of to be honest.







# SHREWSBURY TOWN 0

## GALATASARAY SK 3

Colak, Amrabat, Sneijder



SATURDAY 13 JULY 2013 | GREENHOUS MEADOW | PRE-SEASON FRIENDLY



Shrewsbury were well beaten by Turkish champions Galatasaray – not that the score was of any importance in what was surely Town's most glamorous pre-season friendly ever.

It was a real coup to attract last season's Champion's League quarter-finalists to the Greenhous Meadow, and the crowd of more than 5,800 lapped it up.

Galatasaray fielded their full complement of superstars over the course of the afternoon, and always looked a class apart against Graham Turner's League One battlers.

Fatih Terim's side took the lead inside the first five minutes, Turkish international Emre Çolak unleashing a venomous strike from 25 yards that gave Chris Weale in the Town goal no chance. Midway through the first half, they doubled their lead – Nordin Amrabat outpacing Connor Goldson to get on the end of a through ball before coolly slotting into the bottom corner. Shrewsbury barely got a kick in the first period, though they competed better in the second half as both sides introduced a wave of substitutes.

New signing Dave Winfield came close with a header off a corner which whistled wide of the post, while midfielder Dave McAllister fired agonisingly wide after finding space with an impressive jinking run.

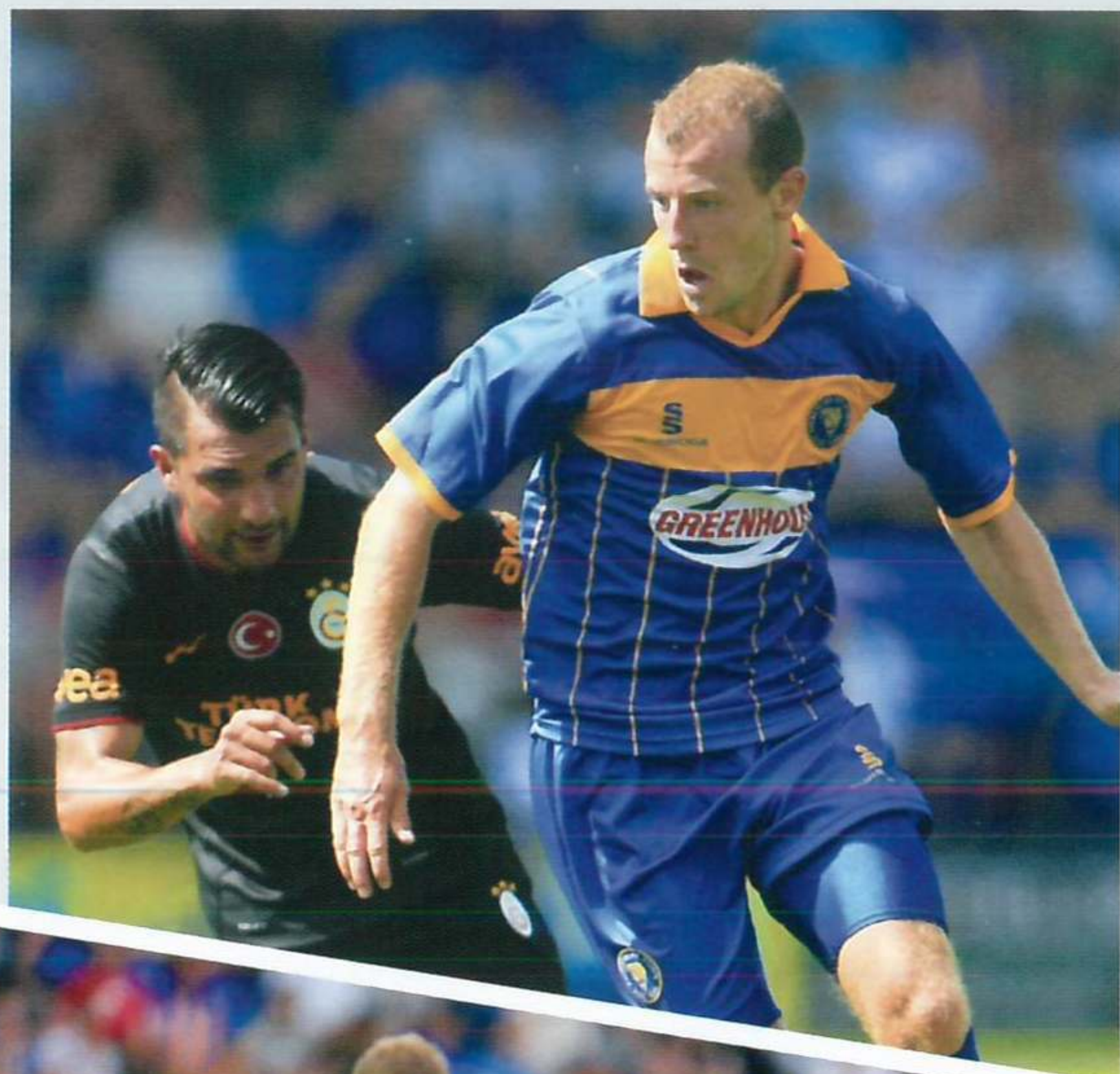
There were loud cheers when the visitors introduced former Chelsea hotshot Didier Drogba and Dutch ace Wesley Sneijder off the bench in the final 25 minutes. And it was Sneijder who had the last word, lashing in from close range to complete the scoring after another Town newboy, Alex McQuade, had blocked a Burak Yilmaz effort on the line.

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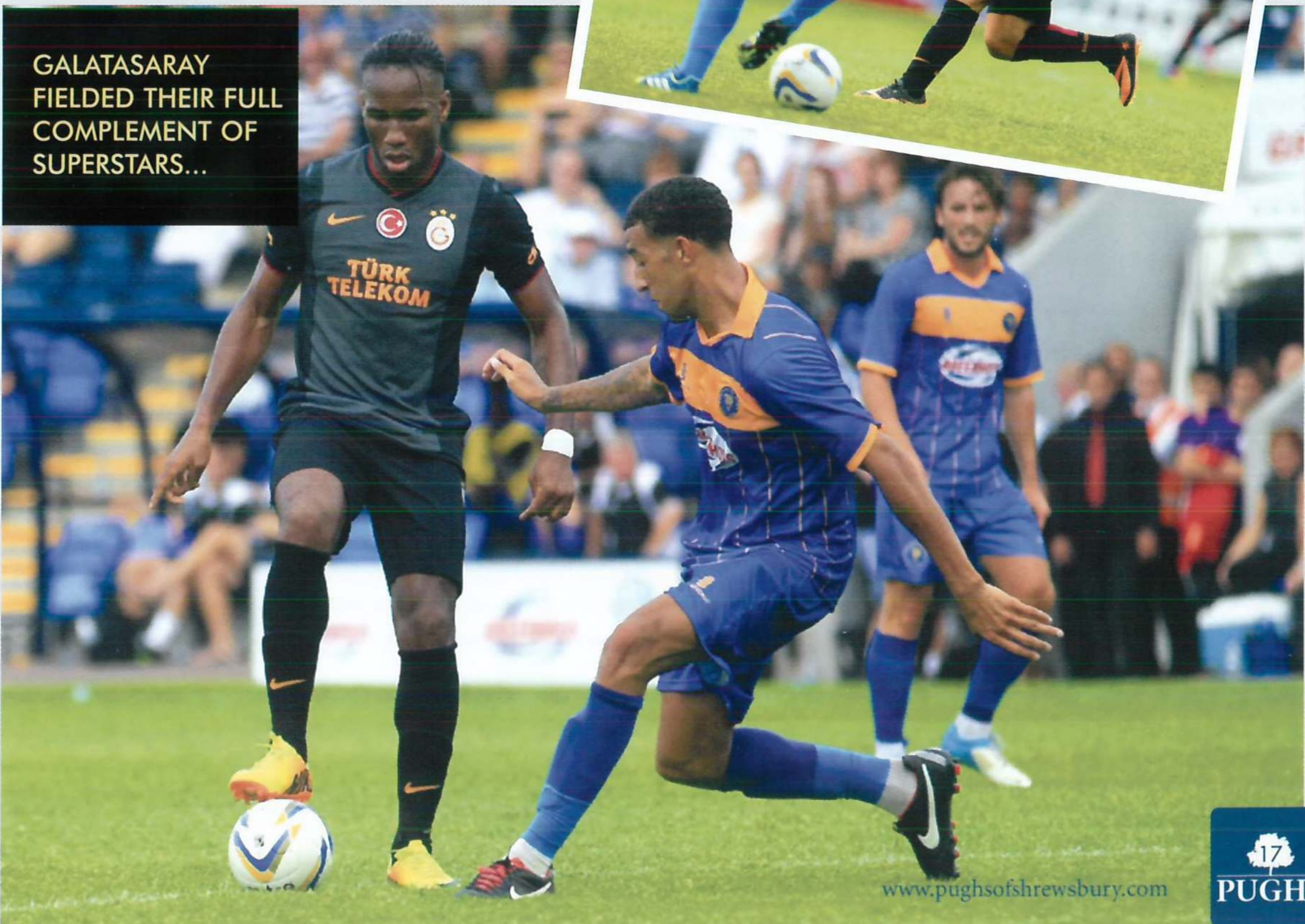
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GALATASARAY  
FIELDED THEIR FULL  
COMPLEMENT OF  
SUPERSTARS...







# BACK TO THE FUTURE

Football historian **LEIGH EDWARDS** traces what happened to four of Bolton Wanderers' greatest post-war teams...

## 1958 FA CUP WINNERS

**EDDIE HOPKINSON:** England international goalkeeper who made a club record 519 League appearances until injury in November 1969. Briefly assistant-trainer, he resided locally until his death in April 2004.

**ROY HARTLE:** Consistent right-back who netted 11 goals in 447 League outings prior to joining Buxton in July 1966. After coaching New York Generals, he was Bury's chief scout and still lives in Bolton.

**TOMMY BANKS:** Tough-tackling England international left-back who scored twice in 233 League games prior to joining Altrincham in July 1961, then worked in the building trade and has settled in Farnworth.

**DEREK HENNIN:** Ex-England Youth right-half who netted eight goals in 164 League games, joining Chester in February 1961, then Wigan Athletic, Prescott Cables and St Helens. He died in January 1989.

**JOHN HIGGINS:** Centre-half who made 183 First Division appearances before joining Wigan Athletic in July 1961. Later Stockport County's commercial manager, then general manager, he died in April 2005.

**BRYAN EDWARDS:** Left-half who netted eight goals in 482 League outings before leaving in May 1965. He later coached Blackpool, Preston, Plymouth and Bradford City, where also manager and physio.

**BRIAN BIRCH:** Former England Youth winger who moved to Rochdale in July 1964, then Ellesmere Port. Now living in Southport, his grandson Will Johnson plays for Portland Timbers and Canada.

**DENNIS STEVENS:** England U-23 inside-right who scored 90 times in 273 League games, joining Everton in March 1962, then Oldham Athletic and Tranmere Rovers. He ran a gent's outfitters in Harwood.

**NAT LOFTHOUSE:** England international centre-forward who netted a club record 255 goals in 452 League games. Later Bolton's coach, manager, chief scout and club president, he died in January 2011.

**RAY PARRY:** England international inside-left who scored 68 times in 270 League games, joining Blackpool in October 1960. Later playing for Bury, he became a newsagent in Bolton and died in May 2003.

**DOUG HOLDEN:** England international winger who moved to Preston in November 1962, then Hakoah and Auburn. Later Grimsby's trainer and Dartford's manager, he is a retired car salesman in Belvedere.

## 1977-78 SECOND DIVISION CHAMPIONS

**JIM MCDONAGH:** Republic of Ireland international goalkeeper who returned from a spell at Everton to make 242 League appearances overall. He has become a goalkeeping coach, currently at Sunderland.

**PETER NICHOLSON:** Right-back who scored nine times in 324 League games, moving to Bury in September 1978, then Southport. He has since coached at Bolton's Academy and is now a matchday host.

**TONY DUNNE:** Republic of Ireland international left-back who made 170 League appearances before joining Bolton's coaching staff in July 1979. He has since run his own golf driving range in Altrincham.

**ROY GREAVES:** Midfielder who netted 66 goals in 495 League games, moving to Seattle Sounders in March 1980. Later Rochdale's player-coach, then a local publican, he now has various business interests.

**PAUL JONES:** Central defender who moved to Huddersfield in July 1983, then Oldham, Blackpool, Wigan, Rochdale and Stockport. He has had various jobs and also scouted for Palace, Hull and Bolton.

**SAM ALLARDYCE:** Central defender who netted 21 goals in 198 League games in two spells, since managing Preston, Blackpool, Sunderland, Notts County, Bolton, Newcastle, Blackburn and West Ham.

**WILLIE MORGAN:** Scotland international winger who netted ten goals in 155 League games before moving to Blackpool in September 1980. He now runs his own marketing company and lives in Wilmslow.

**NEIL WHATMORE:** Top scorer who joined Birmingham City in August 1981, then reunited with Ian Greaves at Oxford United and Mansfield. Settling in Mansfield, he now works for Severn Trent Water.

**RAY TRAIN:** Midfielder who later played for Watford, Oxford United, Bournemouth, Northampton, Tranmere and Walsall. He has since held various coaching and scouting posts, notably at Middlesbrough.

**PETER REID:** England U-21 midfielder who joined Everton in December 1982. Later at QPR, he has managed Manchester City, Sunderland, Leeds United, Coventry City, Thailand and Plymouth Argyle.

**FRANK WORTHINGTON:** England international who later played for Birmingham, Leeds United, Sunderland, Southampton, Brighton, Tranmere, Preston and Stockport, becoming an after-dinner speaker.





# BOLTON WANDERERS

## 1995 LEAGUE CUP FINALISTS

**KEITH BRANAGAN:** Republic of Ireland international goalkeeper who made 215 League appearances before joining Ipswich Town in April 2000. He has since been a goalkeeping coach at Bolton School.

**SCOTT GREEN:** Right-back who helped Bolton twice win promotion before moving to Wigan Athletic in June 1997, then Wrexham, Telford United and Ashton United. Now head of youth at Yeovil Town.

**JIMMY PHILLIPS:** Ever-present left-back who also starred in Bolton's 1996-97 First Division title triumph and netted five goals in 329 League games in two spells. He is now Bolton's Academy director.

**JASON MCATEER:** Republic of Ireland international midfielder who joined Liverpool in September 1995. He later played for Blackburn Rovers, Sunderland and Tranmere Rovers, becoming assistant-boss.

**MARK SEAGRAVES:** Ex-England Youth central defender who moved to Swindon, in June 1995, then Barrow and Runcorn. He has since been a coach/scout under Paul Jewell at Wigan, Derby and Ipswich.

**ALAN STUBBS:** England B international central defender who joined Celtic in May 1996. Later playing for Everton, Sunderland, Everton again and Derby County, he is now on Everton's coaching staff.

**DAVID LEE:** Winger who helped Bolton to win promotion three times, joining Wigan Athletic in July 1997, then Carlisle United and Morecambe. He has since been a youth coach at Wigan and Bolton.

**RICHARD SNEEKES:** Dutch U-21 midfielder who moved to West Brom in March 1996, then had spells with Stockport County, Hull City and Herfolge. He now runs an Italian restaurant in Sutton Coldfield.

**MIXU PAATELAINEN:** Finland international striker who moved to Wolves in August 1997, then played for Hibernian, St Johnstone and St Mirren. He has managed Cowdenbeath and Finnish side TPS.

**JOHN MCGINLAY:** Scotland international striker who joined Bradford City in November 1997, then Oldham Athletic. He managed Ilkeston and Gresley, then became assistant coach at Cincinnati Kings.

**ALAN THOMPSON:** England U-21 winger who netted 33 goals in 157 League games, moving to Aston Villa in June 1998, then Celtic and Leeds United. He has since been Newcastle's reserve team boss.

## 2004 LEAGUE CUP FINALISTS

**JUSSI JAASKELAINEN:** Finland international goalkeeper who was ever-present for Bolton on six occasions, making 474 League appearances before reuniting with Sam Allardyce at West Ham in July 2012.

**NICKY HUNT:** England U-21 right-back who helped Bolton reach the FA Cup sixth round in 2004-05, scoring once in 128 League games before joining Bristol City in July 2010, then Preston and Rotherham.

**SIMON CHARLTON:** Ex-England Youth international who moved to Norwich City in July 2004. He became their youth coach, then managed Mildenhall Town and now coaches for Global Soccer Network.

**IVAN CAMPO:** Spanish international midfielder who netted 13 goals in 172 League games before moving to Ipswich Town in August 2008, then Cypriot side AEK Larnaca before hanging up his boots.

**BRUNO N'GOTTY:** French international central defender who joined Birmingham City in July 2006. He has since played for Leicester City, Hereford United and French sides l'AS Lattes and ES Perols.

**EMERSON THOME:** Brazilian central defender who made 26 League appearances, moving to Wigan Athletic in August 2004. Later with Japanese side Vissel Kobe, he is now an Everton scout in Portugal.

**KEVIN NOLAN:** Former England U-21 midfielder who scored 40 times in 296 League games before joining Newcastle United in January 2009. He reunited with Sam Allardyce at West Ham in July 2011.

**PER FRANDSEN:** Danish international midfielder who netted 30 goals in 265 League games overall in two spells before joining Wigan Athletic in July 2004. He has become a football agent in Denmark.

**KEVIN DAVIES:** England international striker who starred as Bolton twice qualified for the UEFA Cup under Sam Allardyce. Ever-present three times, he became captain and joined Preston this summer.

**YOURI DJORKAEFF:** French international striker who joined Blackburn Rovers in September 2004, then New Jersey Metro Stars and New York Red Bulls in the United States. He now lives in Manhattan.

**JAY JAY OKOCHA:** Nigeria international midfielder who moved to Qatar SC in June 2006, then reunited with Phil Brown at Hull City before hanging up his boots. He owns a bar on Victoria Island, Lagos.

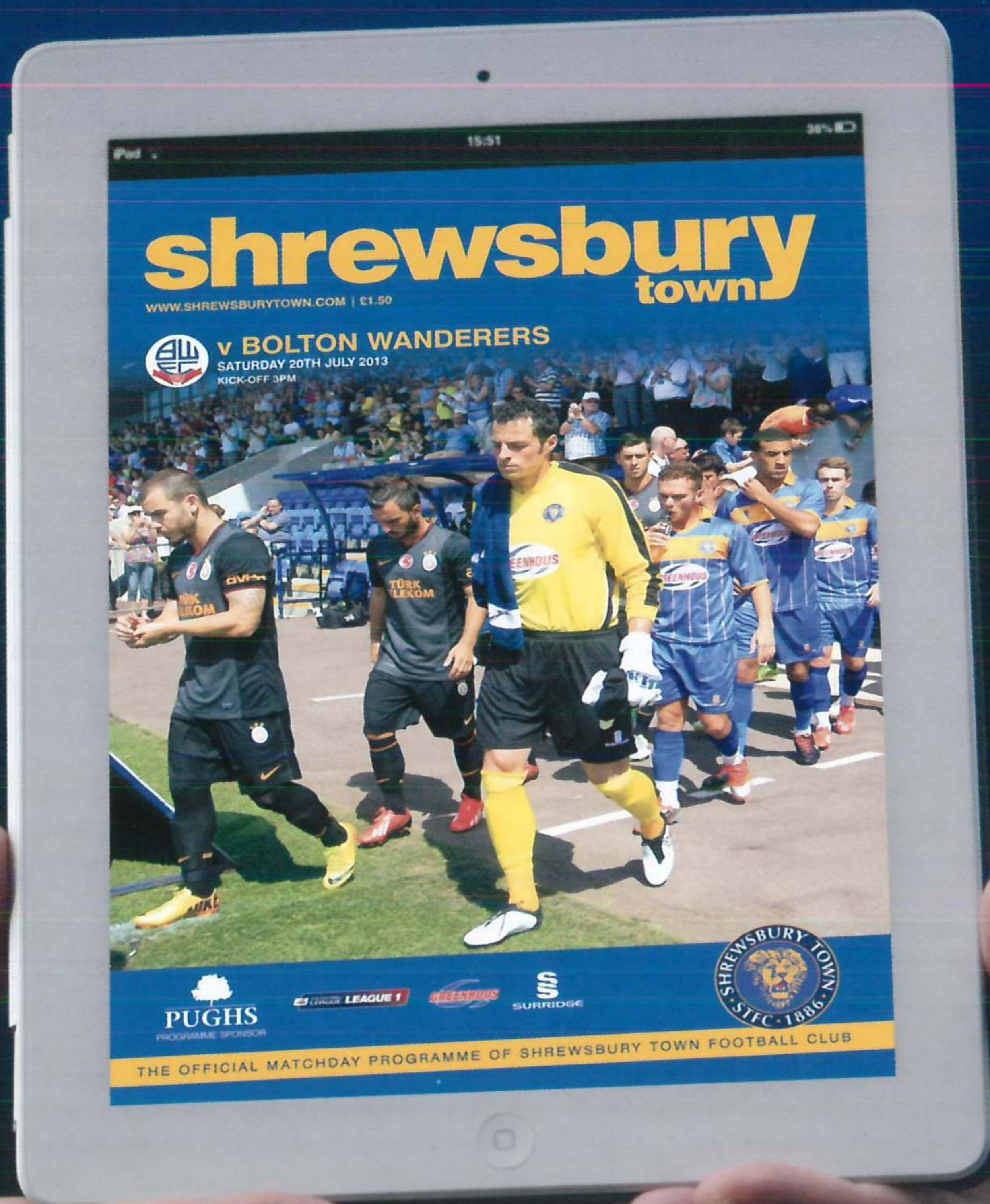


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# A LARGE SCOTCH

## THE NON-LEAGUE YEAR

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This season Adrian Plimmer, former editorial team member of the Shrewsbury Town Fanzine "A Large Scotch" will bring the sights, sounds and stories of Salop's brief return to Non-League football to life (via the written word and the odd photo). A season which culminated in a never to be forgotten Play off Final victory over Aldershot Town. Sit back, relax and read on.



### Chapter Two — "Derbies"

With Town fans having had the luxury of actually winning a game, the visit of Championship Derby brought no real fears. However nobody expected the score line that was to unfold. Dave Walton was making his return to Gay Meadow and hardly featured. Derby were a little ring rusty to say the least, and Shrewsbury Town took full advantage.

Luke Rodgers started to show how vital he would be to the Town cause with a top quality hat trick. One that hadn't gone unnoticed from a club at the top end of the 'North and West' route. Colin Cramb started to show his quality, gaining and scoring a penalty. Along with Ryan Lowe Town went nap at the Meadow.

Martin O'Connor's signing the following week added strength to an already impressive Town midfield that included Jamie Tolley and of course David Edwards. Joining from Walsall, the Cayman Islands International was

impressed by the words of manager Jimmy Quinn. Town at last seemed to be putting the bad days of the Ratcliffe regime behind them.

Ludlow Town opened their new Coors Stadium with the visit of Salop for a midweek fixture. 1700 odd packed into the impressive little stadium (many standing on the Ludlow by pass embankment) but Town weren't in charitable mood on the pitch. They coasted to a 7-1 victory. What was this Town scoring goals, and not letting many in! The visit to a 'new stadium' wetted the appetite of Town's own struggle to get the 'New Meadow' project moving again. It wouldn't be until October that a decisive step forward occurred. But when it did, it was a major one!

Another healthy following made their way on the Vyrnwy road to Llansantffraid, home of Total Network Solutions. The New Saints (as they are now) were becoming the formidable force we know today. I remember bombing from Church Stretton (where I then worked) following

Saturday morning overtime to make the game. I was quite amazed with the following of Town fans that day in another 1000 plus crowd. I wasn't the only interested party as Dario Gradi, joined by his Crewe chairman, checked out our 'Luke' once again. After a game at Colwyn Bay notable for the appearance of a certain J.Hart, the next game upped the ante. The most eagerly contested Shropshire Senior Cup Final for years saw over 3000 come along to the Meadow.

I was on Shrews Web commentary duties that night, and even though there were only 3000 inside, I always remember the atmosphere being electric. Myself and Andy Davies commented with glee, as Jamie Tolley, not once but twice, put the 'Blue and Amber' half of Shropshire in dreamland, this after Colin Cramb had given the 'sewer rats' the lead. The game though turned in the second half. As first Lee Mills, and then John Grant pulled goals back. There were a lot of nerves in the commentary box that night, but Town prevailed. Telford had shown enough to suggest that the two listed encounters would not be the walkovers that Town fans hoped for. And with people like Sam Ricketts in their side, the challenge for the dominance of Shropshire looked like it was going to be a battle. Let alone returning to Division Three.

The tie had wetted the appetite, and many fans just wanted the season to start. The names of Margate, Accrington, Forest Green et al, may not have had the glamour of their Football League cousins but the road back at least seemed possible. Before that opening fixture Town would face a couple more warm up games which we will cover in the Birmingham programme.





# LENNY'S CLUB

*Happy birthday to the following Lenny's Club members who have birthdays over the next month...*

**ELLIE ASHLEY 10/05/2001**

**ROXANNE PARRY 05/06/1999**

**TYLER ROBERTS 16/06/2006**

**WILLIAM BEESLEY 03/06/2003**

**LEONIE PUTTOCK 19/07/2004**

**IMOGEN GWILT 02/07/2007**

**SCOTT LEWIS-BULLOCK 10/06/2002**

**WILLIAM BEBB 24/06/2003**

**LLINOS VAUGHAN-THOMAS 30/06/2012**

**ISABELLA SANTALLA 08/05/2013**

## HELLO GUYS!!!

Hello again, and welcome back to our second pre-season friendly against Bolton Wanderers. Today's game is a great chance for our players to get another run-out as we prepare for the start of the season against MK Dons.

Last Saturday, we played Galatasaray, in a game which I am sure you will all agree was a fantastic occasion for the football club, and it was great to see so many of you turn out to see such star names as Joe Jacobson, Jon Taylor, .. Oh, and I think someone called Didier Drogba played too?! – You may have seen my photo with him, and a few of the Galatasaray players in the dugout.

Now, as everybody knows, being a Lenny's Club member is a fantastic privilege, and one that earns you some fantastic benefits – Last week I mentioned that as a Lenny's member, you can get discount at AMF bowling, upon production of your Lenny's Club membership card.

This week, I am delighted to announce that after speaking to a few of my Mascot friends at other clubs, they would be happy to invite a Lenny's Club member to be a mascot at a Shrewsbury Town away game.

I have put all the details into a letter which you should receive over the next week or so, included is a form which will need to be filled in, and returned by post to me, or handed into my friends in the Club Shop or Ticket Office.

Back to today's game, let's hope for a Town victory and a cracking performance – Don't forget to make some noise, get behind the team... and watch out for any sweets I throw into the crowd

Altogether now ... COME ON YOU BLUES!!!!

**LENNY**



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## BOLTON WANDERERS

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Mark Davies

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Darren Pratley

Stuart Holden

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Pre-season Friendly

v BIRMINGHAM CITY

Greenhous Meadow

Tuesday 23rd July 2013

Kick-off: 7.45pm



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